

HUNS INTEND TO ESTABLISH SUB BLOCKADE OF OUR COAST

GAS RAISE IS AUTHORIZED

The council Monday evening with seven members present voted 6 to 1 and passed the amendment to the gas ordinance permitting the Brainerd Gas & Electric Co. to raise the price 35c a thousand for the duration of the war and not to exceed two years after peace is declared, (when it is believed normal conditions will be restored), and the older cheaper rate automatically takes effect again.

Voting aye were Aldermen Turcotte, Ole Anderson, Andrew Anderson, Gustafson, Stallman and President Koop.

Voting nay: Alderman Strickler. Absent: Aldermen Hall, Peterson and Lyons.

The amendment takes effect a week after its publication.

Speakers for the gas company and favoring granting the increase included M. E. Ryan, P. J. Oberst, F. H. Simpson, Henry I. Cohen and Carl Adams. Mr. Adams asserted that at the \$1.60 net rate consumers would save 40 to 50 per cent over any other kind of fuel. It must be remembered that all kinds of fuel have advanced in Brainerd.

Alderman Andrew Anderson reported a meeting of gas consumers he had called in the fourth ward for the purpose of getting their attitude on the increase in rates. Thirty-six were notified and twenty-five came to the meeting. When a vote was taken, twenty-three favored the increase.

On a motion of Aldermen Turcotte and Strickler, carried, the city engineer was requested to borrow the county rock crusher and crush rocks and repair macadamized street intersections in the city.

White Brothers were given permission to use the south side of Laurel street at block 71 for placing material while making improvements to the O'Brien block.

Mayor R. A. Beise reported the receipt of a letter from Arthur R. Rogers, chairman of the Ninth District Liberty Bond committee, thanking Brainerd citizens for their loyal support buying bonds and also mentioning the forwarding of the Liberty Loan flag. The letter was acknowledged with thanks and the flag accepted.

Routine bills were allowed and sewer contracts ordered paid. Reports of the city clerk, chief of police were ordered filed.

—BUY W. S. S.—

St. Paul Man Gets Federal Appointment

(By United Press) Washington, June 4.—Dr. Cotton of St. Paul, has been appointed a representative on the war industries board in the ninth federal reserve bank district.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Mines Picked up on Atlantic Coast

(By United Press) Washington, June 4.—The navy department announces that a mine sweeper picked up a mine off the Delaware coast.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Casualty List

Washington, June 4.—The casualty list contains 40 names.

—MAKE W. S. S. PLEDGES—

Gen. Johnson Given Command. Camp Cody, N. M., June 4.—Brig. Gen. John A. Johnson, former commander of the Northeastern department at Boston, assumed command of the Sixty-eighth infantry brigade here. This body of the Thirty-fourth division is made up of the old first and second Minnesota infantry and auxiliary units. It has been without a general commander since the discharge of Brig. Gen. Frederick E. Resche of Duluth, who was temporarily relieved by Col. Eric D. Luce, 135th infantry.

EDWARD DE VALERA

Professor who is head of the Sinn Fein in Ireland.



This is professor Edward de Valera, head of the Sinn Fein party in Ireland, who, with many others, is being held with the British government for complicity in a pro-German plot.

Germany Gained No Military Advantage by Submarine Campaign

(By United Press)

Washington, June 4.—Germany has failed to gain any military advantage from the submarine raid off the Atlantic coast. If it expected to terrorize the American mind it failed. The submarines have been working since May 25 off the coast but failed to get any cargo or troop ship.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Passengers of Steamer Carolina Nearly All Saved

(By United Press)

New York, June 4.—The schooner Edward Douglas is off Barnegat with 250 survivors of the liner Carolina. This accounts for practically all the passengers and crew, 100 having previously landed at Atlantic City.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Hospital Ships Ready for Submarine Victims

(By United Press)

New York, June 4.—Four hospital ships are anchored off quarantine with a fleet of patrolling vessels ready to dash out in case airplanes or submarine chasers report sighting boats with survivors of torpedoed vessels.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Three Important Liners Overdue

(By United Press)

An Atlantic port, June 4.—Three important liners are overdue, two transatlantic liners and one in coast trade included. They carried over three hundred passengers. On account of the submarines operating off the coast some anxiety is felt for their safety.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Airplanes Sweeping Sea for Submarines

(By United Press)

New York, June 4.—Forty navy airplanes are sweeping the sea between Cape May and Fire Island, patrolling sixty miles out searching for German submarine victims.

BLOW WAS AIMED AT TRANSPORTS

Reason for Germany Carrying the Submarine Warfare Across the Atlantic.

FEAR UNITED STATES

Berlin Officials Are Feeling the Result of Yankee Naval Strength in War Zone and of American Soldiers in France.

Washington, June 4.—Apparently in a forlorn hope of striking telling blows on this side of the Atlantic and of drawing home some of the American naval forces from the war zone where the U-boat menace is being slowly strangled to death, Germany at last has brought her submarine warfare to the shores of the United States.

In the attacks upon coasting vessels almost in sight of the New Jersey shore reported today navy officials see a frank admission from Berlin that the submarine has failed. American armed power is roaming overseas in ever increasing force, despite the utmost exertions of the undersea pirates off the coast of Europe.

Sent to Sink Transports.

Now the raiders have crossed the seas and lurked for days near America's greatest ports. They no doubt were sent to sink transport, but here again they failed. Blocked off the troop ships by convoy craft they have turned in fury against defenseless coasters. In all the record of destruction they have written, the raiding party has struck at no vessel bound overseas and therefore armed for a fight.

Only ships that could not hit back have been attacked. The only one of half a score of vessels probably sent to the bottom that had any real military value in ship or cargo was an oil tanker.

VICEROY ASKS 50,000 MEN

Issues Proclamation Calling Upon Irishmen to Volunteer.

Dublin, June 4.—The Irish viceroy issued a proclamation asking for 50,000 voluntary recruits before October 1. The proclamation emphasizes that there is no intention to disturb the farming interests of Ireland, and points out that the younger men should hasten to the colors first.

Vicount French's proclamation says: "In pursuance with our promise we make an offer, which, if successful, will insure that Ireland will play her part fully and freely in the world struggle for liberty."

"The offer we make to Ireland to furnish voluntarily a number of men to establish equitable rates as compared to other parts of the empire."

"Ireland is fairly asked to raise 50,000 recruits by October 1 to replenish the Irish divisions in the field, and after that date to furnish between 2,000 and 3,000 men monthly to maintain the divisions."

Police Order New York in Darkness

(By United Press)

New York, June 4.—The police have ordered darkness tonight throughout New York, fearing airplane raids or bombardment.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Submarines Fail to Excite Wall Street

(By United Press)

New York, June 4.—Wall street took little cognizance of the proximity of the German submarines. There was very little market fluctuation.

(By United Press)

New York, June 4.—Germany will establish a permanent submarine blockade of the American coast within a short time, with a fleet of submarines capable of operating against every important Atlantic port, the German mate of the U-151 told Boatwain Enoch Rocker, of the Schooner Edna, destroyed. Rocker and others were imprisoned in the submarine for a week. The German mate said he lived in New York eight years and was engaged to a Philadelphia girl, but preferred to be a German officer. The new submarine fleet left Kiel seven weeks ago, and carries six months' supplies, but expects to stay here a year by taking provisions and fuel from ships sunk. The voyage from Germany here was made via the West Indies within sight of the Bahamas, near the point where the collier Cyclops mysteriously disappeared, thence up the coast near Cape Hatteras. The submarines are 325 feet long and carry 5-inch guns, larger than formerly. No. 151 indicates that the recently built submarines are now operating, and are only the advance guard of numerous others coming. Each submarine carries a crew of 35 men.

SAVES TORPEDOES FOR TROOP SHIPS

New York, June 4.—"I won't waste a torpedo on anything less than a troop ship. Torpedoes are too expensive," the commander of the German submarine told Capt. Gilmore, of the Schooner Edna, who was held a prisoner aboard the submarine for a week.

—BUY W. S. S.—

GERMANS CROSSED THE MARNE HURLED BACK BY AMERICANS

Paris, June 4.—An official statement says the Germans crossed the Marne south of Joulgonne midway between Chateau Thierry. The Franco Americans attacked them, took 200 prisoners, hurled the Germans back and then destroyed the bridge. The Americans also stopped the German advance before Neuilly wood, and hurled the Huns back in a magnificent attack.

—BUY W. S. S.—

New Battle of Marne is Raging, Americans Are Participating

(By United Press)

Paris, June 4.—An official statement says the Americans struck the first blow in the new battle of the Marne, and are fighting side by side with the French. The Americans hurled back the German force which reached the southern bank of the Marne, the first time the enemy has crossed the river since early in war. The new battle of the Marne is being fought with great violence on the whole front.

Operations in American Sectors

With the American Army, June 4.—The official statement says there is active patrolling in Picardy and Lorraine sectors, and artillery firing in Lorraine and Woivre. One enemy plane was downed and one of ours is missing.

—BUY W. S. S.—

American Airman Bags Enemy Plane

Washington, June 4.—Lieutenant Sewell shot down an enemy airplane June 3rd. The German pilot and observer were taken prisoners an official statement says.

Latest Photo of the President



HIGH GRADUATION

JACQUES DUPRE.

Belgian soldier who captured a carload of Germans.



Brainerd witnessed the graduation of 62 from Brainerd high school Monday evening, the largest class in the history of the local schools. It was an inspiring occasion.

The commencement speaker was C. W. Burns of Minneapolis, and his eloquence charmed class and audience. The high school glee club sang and the invocation was delivered by Rev. G. P. Sheridan.

Dr. Burns was introduced by Supt. W. C. Cobb. Mr. Burns said he was fortunate and felt honored to be permitted to speak in Brainerd again, having shortly before spoken on a patriotic subject. His address dealt with the value of personality. Back of every movement stands a man or woman, backed by sheer force of brain, soul and spirit. The great movements in church history were led by a man or woman. He referred to Martin Luther of Germany, Switzerland and John Calvin, Scotland and John Knox, England and Methodism.

Books were but personalities paged and bound. Back of all literature is personality. The glory and beauty of soul are exhibited in personality.

Back of the civil war and making the first plea for democracy was John Brown. He described Mark Twain's version of the cause of the civil war, as being simply Sir Walter Scott vs. Bobbie Burns. The south was feudalistic and the north worked in its shirt sleeves.

The fight between Germany and the United States was one of philosophies. "If Germany wins there will be an end to Christ and civilization. There will be no need for schools and colleges in America," said Dr. Burns.

The speaker pleaded for educational completeness, training heart, mind, body. German training had resulted in teaching men to do things but neglected their souls.

"We shall be in the fight and will win if true to our ideals," said Dr. Burns in conclusion.

He had words of praise for Brainerd's school system, its teachers and the results attained and gave words of admonition to the class.

Songs by the class followed.

Principal R. R. Denison reported on scholarship.

Highest honors went to Henry Lagerquist and Arden White and it was so close a race that they virtually tied. Mr. White completed the course in three years.

Ten members of the class were recognized because of excellent work done and were Violet Greger, Ellen Dillan, Georgia Frost, Henry Lagerquist, Lillian Nelson, Dagfred Olson, Harry Somers, Ruth Thayer, Arden White and Ruth White.

Two boys of the class will enlist in the immediate future.

Floyd Warner, whose vacant chair was draped with the American flag, was reported leaving for France and would soon be in the fight.

Albert Backen was unable to be at the graduation exercises because of sickness.

Nine will go to college.

Seven will attend the state normal.

Twelve will take the normal training course at the Brainerd high school.

Twenty-one were pledged to aid in Red Cross work.

Fifteen were doing patriotic duty including war gardens, etc.

He was proud of the class and was assured they would do their duty to country and school.

Supt. W. C. Cobb spoke and called attention to the need after the war of a new high school to cost \$200,000. He hoped every graduate would follow the patriotic teachings of the school and be an American through and through.

R. R. Wise, president of the school board, spoke and urged all to be patriotic, to stand upright and to die if need be for the flag.

Louis Hohman, clerk of the board, read the names of the graduates and the diplomas were presented by Mr. Wise.

Artillerying Between Albert and Serre River

(By United Press)

London, June 4.—General Haig reported considerable artillerying between the Albert and Serre river.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Hospital Ship Goes Unconvoyed

(By United Press)

London, June 4.—The American hospital ship Comfort goes unconvoyed between the U. S. and the American naval base abroad. Germany is notified each time the ship makes the trip.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Reports Current of Submarines Capture

(By United Press)

New York, June 4.—It is persistently reported that the German submarine was captured and taken to Stapleton, Long Island, and the crew taken to the Brooklyn navy yard. The report is unconfirmed. Similar reports were current yesterday.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Submarine Survivors Brought Home

(By United Press)

Boston, June 4.—The liner Grecian brought the survivors of the schooner Jacob Haskell into port.

—MAKE W. S. S. PLEDGES—

New York Port Is Re-Opened

(By United Press)

New York, June 4.—The port of New York has been reopened.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:
Mild. Light showers probable.
Co-operative observer's record, 7 P. M.—
June 3, maximum 65, minimum 49. Reading in evening, 63. Clear. East wind. Light rain, 0.23 inch.
June 4, minimum during night, 49.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Telephone North-west 74.

Clark's for your wall paper. 251tf
D. C. Peacock of Duluth is in the city.

For Spring Water phone 264. tf
Buy your cement blocks of Ritari. Let us bid on your job. 276-1m

C. W. Curo of Jenkins was in the city today.

For bargains in houses and lots, see J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 226tf
Andy Haug went to Staples this afternoon.

K. C. Meeting**Tonight**

To Arrange for
July Picnic

Minnows for sale, 309 Third Ave. N. E., Phone 900-J. 287tf

James Lawrence went to Litchfield this morning.

Onions 75c per bushel at the Public Market. 212

Miss Lois Winter went to St. Paul this afternoon.

Eyes examined, glasses fitted. Dr. E. E. Long, Ransford Bldg. 179tf
A. J. Linden of Pine River was in the city today.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m
Jack Jordan went to Staples this noon on business matters.

Onions 75c per bushel at the Public Market. 212

Miss Mabel Williams will spend her summer vacation in St. Paul.

D. M. Clark & Co. sharpen and repair lawn mowers. 290tf

Mrs. S. A. Rosebrook of Staples was visiting Mrs. Delos Hammett.

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Cadet Beulah Peterson of Escanaba.

BEST THEATRE**TODAY****Billie Burke in****"The Land of Promise"**

See Ad

ba, Mich, is now with the local Salvation Army.

George Molstad went to Niaswa this afternoon.
Conductor E. H. Reed went to Duluth this afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Nelson returned today from a visit in St. Cloud.

Mrs. Floyd Brown of Aitkin is a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. K. Luken.

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Miss Mae Hanson has gone to Washington, D. C., for the summer.

A. G. Whitney and G. W. Plank motored to St. Cloud this afternoon.

Your health and the health of your children is endangered by dirty, unsanitary rugs. Let Olson clean them the sanitary way. Phone 975. 292tf

E. E. Martin, F. L. Hill and E. W. Hill of Pine River were in the city today.

George A. Kampman went to Pequot this afternoon to bid on some work.

A new electric drug sign graces the front of the H. P. Dunn drug store.

Don't rent—Buy. See Nettleton. 30645

W. H. Gemmel and daughter, Miss Katherine, went to St. Paul this morning.

Your neighbor has been to the Price-wrecking sale at A. J. Cullen's store. Have you? 11

John Hurley has received the \$50 Liberty Bond that he won at a K. C. raffle in Melrose.

Nettleton sells homes on your terms. 30645

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Airplanes.

Norfolk, Va., June 4.—Reports indicate that five German submarines have been operating along the Atlantic coast and that two have been sighted off the Virginia capes, naval officials here said.

Rear Admiral Fechteler, commandant of the Norfolk Navy yard said two U-boats had been sighted off the Virginia capes and Rear Admiral McLean, commandant of the fifth naval district said in addition to these, two others were reported off the coast of New Jersey and one off the coast of North Carolina. Neither officer had been advised of any engagement between American warships and the U-boats.

Every available warship and airplane was out today scouring the sea in pursuit of the submarines. Until a late hour no word had come of any engagement, although it was reported from coast ports that firing had been heard.

36 NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

Four Die in Battle and Twenty Are Wounded.

Washington, June 4.—The last army casualty list contained 36 names, divided as follows:

Killed in action, 4; died of wounds, 3; died of accident, 2; died of disease, 7; wounded in action, 3; wounded severely, 16; wounded slightly, 1.

Northwest names appear on the list as follows: Private Hubert S. Conn, Briggsville, Wis.; Private Wm. B. Ramsey, Dunbar, Wis., severely wounded; Private Frank Kurzyak, Ripon, Wis., slightly wounded.

In Sunday's list the following names appear: Sergeant Eugene C. McKibben, Madison, S. D.; Private Ole K. Anderson, Brantford, N. D., killed in action; Private Wm. A. Wieske, Horicon, Wis., died of accident; Sergeant Alex N. Howatt, Duluth, Corporal Paul M. Jewell, Bismarck, N. D.; Private A. O. Spraghaugen, Margie, Minn., severely wounded; Private Frank Matern, Moberg, S. D.; slightly wounded; Private Edward Roberts, Fergus, S. D., prisoner.

In the Canadian casualty list the following Americans are named: L. H. Fobus, Kennedy, Minn., missing; H. Jensen, Baker, Minn.; R. J. Roberts, Minneapolis, wounded.

MARINE RATES WILL STAND

No Increase Likely Unless Submarine Raids Continue.

Washington, June 4.—The present government marine insurance rate of 2 per cent on value of vessels and cargoes will continue in effect, it was announced, until the treasury obtains a detailed report on the chances of the submarine raids continuing off the Atlantic coast. No action to raise the rate is expected at least for several days.

Result of Airplane Raid.

Paris, June 4.—The German airplanes which raided Paris on Saturday night succeeded in passing over populous districts of the city and 24 persons were wounded by their bombs, the Havas Agency says. Some damage was done to buildings.

As He Heard It.

"What did you learn in Sunday school?" asked grandma.
"The Lord is my chauffeur, I shall not walk," answered five-year-old Tommy with profound conviction.—Journal American Medical Association.

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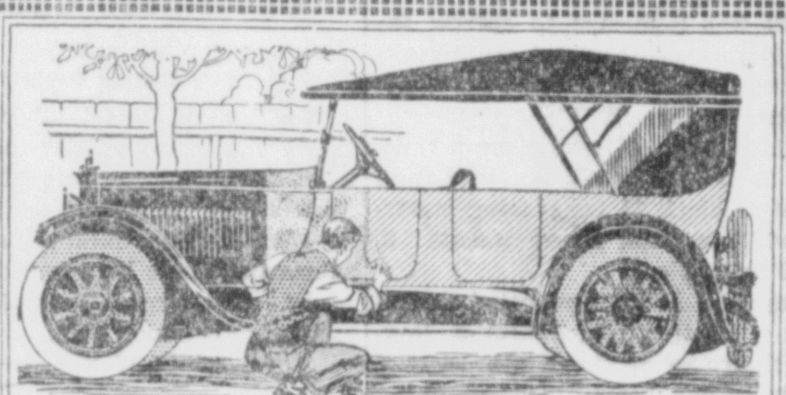
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Has done more towards nursing a sick or stagnant business than any known remedy. To get the desired results one should learn the real value of this great commodity and its relative merits when employed in the right way.

Old Papers---5c a Bundle

Striking While the Iron's Hot

INDECISION has cost many a fortune. A certain person—you may know him—admits that by maintaining a savings account and adding something to it out of every pay envelope, he will in time accumulate a fund which will bring one of life's prizes within his reach.

He admits it, makes up his mind to become a consistent money saver, and yet refuses to act. His ardor cools and he slides back into the groove in which he has traveled. Indecision has cost many a fortune.

The very time to start the saving habit is the time when it comes home to one that such action will open up a vista of new possibilities. Delays pay no dividends.

Money spent for trifles enriches others. It earns no interest for the spender. It takes the strength of decision to "hang on" to part of the income.

The kind of decision that underlies many a fortune is the kind that strikes while the iron's hot.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
BRAINERD, MINN.
INTEREST PAID ON TIME AND SAVINGS DEPOSITS

WOMAN'S REALM

PROGRAM GIVEN
IN DETAIL

At St. Francis school closing on June 5, at the opera house Rev. J. P. O'Mahoney of Spooner will deliver the address.

The program in detail is as follows:
Boys chorus, "My Own United States"
Class Flower Cantata..... by the Minims
"The Sick Pupil"

CHARACTERS

Mrs. Graham, mother
Mercedes Johnson
Sick Pupil..... Joseph Ryan
Doctor..... William Cleary
Maid..... Alice O'Brien
School children

"Almond Blossoms" chorus..... Large girls
"Old Glory"..... Fourth grade girls
Girls' Play, "The Delinquencies of the Imp"

CHARACTERS

Imp..... Marvis Robinson
Mrs. Fairfax..... Mardelle Taylor
Maid..... Harriet O'Brien
Mrs. Dunning..... Lucille Nolan
Molly..... Lois Untereker
Deaf Aunt..... Della Cossette

"Guess Who", drill..... 2nd grade boys
"Uncle Sam's Children" intermediates
"Anchored" chorus.....
Seventh and eighth grades
Class Farewell..... Florence LeBlanc
Address..... Rev. J. P. O'Mahoney
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—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

"America's" New Verse

Learn the new verse to "America." Cut this out and save it:

God save our splendid men,
Bring them safe home again,
God save our men,
Keep them victorious,
Patient and chivalrous;
They are so dear to us,
God save our men.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

SENATORS BOMBARDED

Nelson and Kellogg Receive Scores of Telegrams, Letters, Petitions on Suffrage

Mrs. E. J. Quinn spoke against suffrage at the recent meeting of the Brainerd Musical club, her point being not to cause more work for congress while it was laboring with war matters. In support of her point she referred to this clipping on the status of the woman's suffrage amendment.

Under date of Washington, the St. Paul Pioneer Press Washington Bureau issued a statement asserting that suffragists of Minnesota are bombarding Senators Knute Nelson and Frank B. Kellogg with telegrams, letters and petitions demanding that the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment to the constitution be adopted by the senate at once. More than 100 were received Saturday and today by Senator Nelson.

In view of the fact he already has declared for suffrage and is a member of the special committee which reported the amendment for passage Senator Nelson cannot understand why the drive should be made on him.

"Those people do not seem to understand that we have delayed final action for months because the suffragists lacked two or three votes of enough to pass the amendment," Senator Nelson said today. "We have been giving them time to get those votes and they should not bother us now with letters and telegrams blaming us for the delay which was their own interest."

The senator is ready to vote at any time. Although he always has made a practice of answering such letters and telegrams he has received so many on suffrage that his other work, which is very heavy at this time, will not permit of individual answers.

—BUY W. S. S.—

At the Best Tonight

From the busy streets and thronging avenues of New York city, where men and women live by millions within narrow areas and in deep, canyon-like streets, to the broad, open prairies of Canada is the long "jump" taken by Billie Burke recently. Upon the completion of her first Paramount picture, "The Mysterious Miss Terry," a dainty Billie Burke packed her numerous traveling bags and boxes and hid herself to the fields of Manitoba for the production of her latest Paramount production, "The Land of Promise."

"The Land of Promise," which was written by the noted English author, W. Somerset Maugham, bids fair to be one of Billie Burke's most popular productions, not only from the fact that she had already appeared in the same place on the legitimate stage, but that the screen version has been written by the author of the original, thus insuring no weakening of the production through "too many cooks." "The Land of Promise" will be the attraction at the Best theatre tonight.

—MAKE W.S.S. PLEDGES—

Feminine Wiles.

She—"If you could have only one wish, what would it be?" He—"It would be that—that—that—oh, if I only dared to tell you what it would be!" She—"Well, go on. Why do you suppose I brought up the wishing subject?"—Ottumwa Courier.

ETON FROCK FOR SUMMER



This eton model frock will help to solve the problem of dressing just right and at the same time keeping cool and comfortable on hot summer days. It can be made of cross-barred voile, the jacket being of satin.

WHAT IS WHAT IN DRESSES

Interesting Features of Importance to the Woman Who Wishes to Be Stylishly Dressed.

There is cause for rejoicing when the gown showing long slender lines establishes itself as the smart thing, observes an authority. Frocks which cut up the figure, no matter how handsome the material they may be made of, are not so becoming and really not so practical, as they are harder to adjust.

There is no doubt that the long chemise-like dress has reached the height of its popularity. It is shown in serge alone or combined with satin, in georgette, heavily beaded or embroidered in silk stitching, and in satin and printed chiffon voile.

Even when the skirt is draped or shows a tunic the lines are long and drooping.

Waistlines are either normal or slightly below and the sash is seen on many of the imported models tied at the back to one side. A very odd decoration appears at the waist of a charming frock of beige chiffon figured in Alice blue combined with plain blue crepe de chine. The skirt is made in three tiers, which is unusual, and each skirt is finished with a wide band of the plain blue, plaited, making it appear like a chiffon skirt with three crepe de chine ruffles. About the waistline are large, flat rosettes of the plain blue held by a very narrow sash of the same, which passes over them. The long roll collar and short sleeves are of the blue and the white net vest is made over flesh-colored satin.

SUPPLANTS LAUNDRY HAMPER

Chute Built in the House Is a Great Convenience if Soiled Clothes Are Promptly Sorted.

One way to get along without a laundry hamper is to have a laundry chute built in the house. This is a chute extending from the second and perhaps the third floor of a house to the laundry, with openings on each floor. The clothes are put in the chute as soon as they are soiled and they drop down to the laundry.

A laundry chute is an admirable way of solving the trouble of caring for soiled clothes, if it is properly cared for. There should be a big basket at the bottom of the chute, into which the clothes can fall. Every day someone should go to the laundry and sort the clothes sent through the chute. Anything damp, like bath towels, should be hung up and dried. Table linen and clothes should be separated. If a laundry chute is managed in this way it is nothing but a convenience to be thankful for. However, if it becomes choked with clothes and linen, which drop from it into an untidy heap on the laundry floor, there to mold and mildew for a week, it is a nuisance.

Italian Filers Score in France.

Washington, June 4.—Italian aviators operating on the French front dropped 47 tons of explosives over St. Quentin, Noyon, Perronne station, Rosiers and Nesle in several recent successive flights, dispatches received at the Italian embassy from Rome state.

Red Cross Fund Growing.

Washington, June 4.—The American Red Cross second war mercy fund now totals \$166,429,291, with indications that when all reports from the drive of a week ago are tabulated a \$70,000,000 over-subscription of the \$100,000,000 goal will be shown. In announcing these figures Henry P. Davidson, chairman of the Red Cross War Council, said the returns show that more than 47,000,000 Americans contributed. Those giving to the first fund last year numbered only about five million.

NEW SPRING HATS
TO OFFSET GOWNS

Women Economize on Other Apparel but Must Have Latest Head Coverings.

WIDE BRIMS TAKE THE LEAD

Georgette Crepe a Substitute for Straw—Wrapped Turbans Worn With Capes—Organdie With Lace Ruffles at Edges.

New York.—The reformers who argue against the buying of hats as well as gowns are arguing against human nature. A woman may economize on any other part of her apparel, but the change of season sets her whole nature throbbing to get new head coverings, declares a prominent fashion authority.

When the black of winter may be exchanged for the flowers of summer the tide of purchase sets in, and the current runs strong. Hats we must have. They may be part of new costumes, or they may be accessories to redeem and enliven old costumes, but we must have them.

A good deal is said by the reformers these days which we wish could be left unsaid. It is difficult to approach this matter without suggesting that many of us are not sincere and that our patriotism, fine and strong as it may be, runs away with our tongues. One feels that it is well that there is no earthly war-time judge before whom we must all come, who puts our talk in one scale and actions in the other.

Hat With Brim Replaces Turban.

France and America have each seen the fitness of the brim that shades the eyes at a time when the sun pours straight down, instead of obliquely.

The turban is, after all, the between-season hat. It is not entirely eliminated from the scheme of things, but it has yielded first place to the larger hat. The high crown, however, has not given way to the low crown. There are the new sailors which, with their high crowns and three-inch brims, threaten to overrun the continent like a swarm of locusts.

These are both cheap and expensive, well draped and badly draped; they are in midnight blue, black, beige and red; they are made of rough straw, and although they are excessively smart, they have a hard, unyielding line. On the hard face they are ugly; in juxtaposition to a small, coquettish, frail face they are alluring.

Mind you, the hard, stiff brims is not the only one. If it were thousands of women would give up the struggle to be good looking, for the woman who realizes that a hat makes or mars her



Biscuit and Black Hat for Afternoon. It is Made of Straw and Georgette Crepe and Has an Evenly Turned-Down Brim. The Trimming at the Back Is Broad and High.

face is the one who knows how to dress. All the good-looking gowns in the world cannot affect the eyes, the nose and the skin. It is the hat and the neckwear which lift you to the pedestal of prettiness or throw you down into the ditch of ugliness. There are immense, sweeping brims in fashion which you may choose if your face needs softening and irregular lines.

There is an ultra-smart hat which leads the way. It is made of pleated strawberry georgette crepe faced with black straw, with a wide band of straw encircling the crown. Wherever it

RED CROSS SEVERE
IN DENOUNCING HUN

ORGANIZATION OF MERCY GIVEN GOOD CAUSE FOR BEING ANTI-GERMAN FOR LONG TIME.

HAS BEEN CRUELLY TREATED

Woman Suffrage Amendment Seemingly Lacks Enough Votes in Senate, as Jones Does Not Yet Ask That Resolution Be Brought Up.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—For years to come it would seem that the Red Cross organization, an essentially American institution, but now international in its scope and character, must be anti-German in its work and sympathies. That the Red Cross is now anti-German is shown in the news stories sent out officially from headquarters, in which there is severe denunciation of the work of "the awful Hun," and in which are pictured the atrocities of the barbarian horde in those countries overrun by the Germans.

The Red Cross has had experience with the Huns. Nearly all of the humanitarian work of the organization has been disregarded, and attempts on the part of the Red Cross to relieve the suffering peoples who have been conquered by the Germans have had little effect. The Red Cross flag has been disregarded in the field and Red Cross hospitals have been bombarded and Red Cross workers have been treated cruelly. It is therefore quite likely that it will take years for the Red Cross to overcome the feeling against Germany.

As showing the close canvass which has been made of the senate on the woman suffrage question, Senator Jones of New Mexico, who has charge of the resolution, stated very frankly to the senate that when he gave notice that he would ask for a vote on the resolution its friends had reasonable grounds to believe it would then receive at least the two-thirds of the votes necessary to pass it in the senate. "Since then," he added, "that committee has received information which causes it to doubt that fact." He went on to say that they considered the matter so important that the resolution would not be brought to a vote until they were sure of the necessary two-thirds.

As no effort has been made to bring up the resolution since, it has been assumed that the doubtful votes have not been forthcoming. Senator Curtis of Kansas, on the Republican side, stated frankly that there were 32 votes for it, 11 against it and 1 doubtful, which showed a particularly close canvass. While no figures were given for the Democratic side, it is understood that it got down to where the status of 2 doubtful senators might decide the fate of the woman suffrage amendment.

The senate was discussing some new plan by which farmers could get their products into the hands of the people so that the farmer would receive a fair price and the consumer would not be subjected to the profits of the middleman. Practical Senator Gallinger remarked to the senate that he had a little experience in regard to such matters. "In my section of the country," he went on to say, "I have made the discovery that the average farmer now has a telephone and knows exactly what eggs, poultry and other articles raised on his farm are worth in the nearest market; and if anyone is shrewd enough to get these products at a much less cost than at the nearest market, he has better luck than I have had."

There are a great many other senators who believe that the farmer understands his business pretty well.

Senator Nelson of Minnesota is rather outspoken in his objection to men who come to Washington and try to get commissions in the army.

"I tell them boldly," he said to the senate one day, "to do what I did when I was eighteen years old; go and enlist, if they want to help the country in this war."

It is altogether likely that Senator Nelson and some other senators who are importuned by men seeking commissions in the army fail to note one important fact; that is, that many of the men seeking commissions have a peculiar fitness for officering, either in the line or in the staff corps, and that officers of the best type and highest class are not so easily obtained as are young men for privates.

On the Democratic side in the senate they have a method of seat selection which gives the seniors an opportunity to select a seat when it becomes vacant. It so happened that all of the seniors to Bankhead were satisfied with their present locations, and when Senator Stone died, Bankhead chose the rather prominent seat of the former Missouri senator, which is second to the main aisle in the second row. But Bankhead did not like it. He preferred the seat in the back row, where he could drop in and drop out without any difficulty. Having a committee room near by, the back-row seat was very convenient. And so he made an exchange with Senator Thomas of Colorado, who is regular in his attendance and likes to be farther down and in the thick of everything that is going on in the senate.

HOW DEVICES INVENTED BY IDLE MEN HAVE HELPED THE WORLD.

—Some one once said that laziness was the mainspring of progress, and though that seems to be going too far in praise of the lazy man, yet it cannot be denied that a good many discoveries and inventions have been made by the man with little or nothing to do, declares London Tit-Bits. If the old story is true, did not the discovery of the universal law of gravitation occur to Newton when he was loitering under an apple tree, waiting, as it were, for the fruit to drop into his mouth?

The invention of the stocking loom marked an epoch in British industry, in addition to producing the first pair of silk stockings for Good Queen Bess, and drawing forth the remark from her horrified minister that the queen of England has no legs! It was the ingenious device of a Cambridge graduate, who had married before he had learned even to earn his living, and it was the sight of his wife's busy fingers knitting, while he sat idly watching her, which started him on the track of the stocking loom.

Samuel Crompton, the inventor of the spinning mule, found his incentive in laziness. His mother insisted on a daily task of well spun wool. The lad detested the slow, monotonous work, and invented the spinning mule so that he might have more time for play.

It was a lazy pointsman who hit on the principle used for long distance signal manipulation on our railways. Having to attend to two signals some distance apart, he sought to save himself a walk by fixing up an ingenious contrivance of wire and weights whereby both signals could be worked from his own fireside.

HELPING TO CONSERVE COAL

How Firewood, Long Considered an Unimportant Product of the Farm, Is "Doing Its Bit" Now.

The humble product of the farm—firewood—is doing its "bit" to help make the world safe for democracy, according to a crop report published by the bureau of crop estimates under the authority of Secretary of Agriculture Houston.

The report shows that approximately 83,000,000 cords of firewood, valued at about \$283,000,000, were used in the United States during 1917. This represents an increase of about 1,000,000 cords over the previous year.

The government report shows that Alabama was the greatest user of firewood in 1917, a total of 4,800,000 cords having been burned in that state. Georgia is a close second with 4,800,000 cords and Tennessee is third with 4,750,000 cords. The other states which use more than 3,000,000 cords of firewood in 1917 are: New York, Virginia, North Carolina, Ohio, Missouri, Kentucky, Mississippi, Texas and Arkansas.

COST OF DYING INCREASED

How Unfortunate Belgians Have to Pay for Savage and Unreasoning Fury of the Huns.

The cost of dying has increased 100 per cent in Belgium in the last few months, according to word received yesterday. An organ of the high command of Brussels is authority for the statement that the average pauper funeral now costs the communes 200 francs and more, where recently only 100 francs were paid for pauper's funerals.

The increase, according to this organ, is due to higher costs of wood, coffins, leaden plates, wax and so forth. A significant statement was that a contributory cause was the increase of funerals at the expense of the commune.

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CAN'T TRUST ONE'S IMPULSE

Cases Known Where Men Who Have Forsworn Whisky and Tobacco Have Changed Their Minds.

I was much interested in Chauncey Depew's story of the way he broke away from tobacco at the ripe age of sixty years, "G. M. E." writes in the Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

"I bought a Partaga and walked up the hill to the capitol. I was feeling very bad. At the State street corner I looked at my cigar and said: 'Old friend, you have sacrificed yourself for me, and I've pretty nearly sacrificed myself for you. Here's where you and I part company.' I tossed the cigar away, it hit the side of a passing horse car and landed in the street. The car conductor jumped off, picked it up and went on, smoking happily."

If the car conductor had not grabbed the cigar Chauncey might have changed his mind and reclaimed it. Grandma used to say that one should never act upon impulse. I remember quitting the use of tobacco once, while fishing, and I afterward changed my mind and walked back a quarter of a mile to retrieve my snipe. The fellow who forswears booze and breaks his bottle impulsively generally manages to get another pint somewhere. Renunciation is not likely to possess a durable quality if it is handcuffed. I like to imagine a man giving up smoking, with a vest pocket full of cigars, or whisky, with a barrel of it in the cellar. I say I like to imagine it, but do they ever do that? Most smokers never quit until their draft is shut off.

MOTH'S MISSION ON EARTH

Would Seem Somewhat Hard to Explain, Unless It Be to Cause Housewife Much Worry.

Here is a life history of that frill, yellow quarter-inch moth. Those that we see fluttering about the house are probably looking for a good place to start a colony. Each female moth lays about 50 eggs. She gives each one carefully to the fiber of cloth or fur, and she is especially pleased with fuzzy fabrics, fringes, and frayed edges where she can bury her eggs deep in the ambush of tangled threads. After she has fastened all her eggs her life-work is over and she dies.

It takes the eggs just a week to hatch. Out of each one comes a wee translucent white caterpillar which starts immediately to do damage. As it eats, it builds a gallery to live in from a sort of silk of its own making, mingled with fibres torn from the fabric on which it lives. The caterpillar gnaws at your coat or your dress or your blankets for about ten weeks. Then it enlarges its feeding case to make a cocoon. Two weeks it sleeps in this cocoon, then the case bursts, the caterpillar comes out a pale, dusty yellow moth, mates, and starts another destructive cycle of life.

IF BACK HURTS
BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush the Kidneys at once when Back-ache or Bladder bothers—Meat forms uric acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

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ADVERTISING PRICES INCREASED

Because of the abnormal conditions now prevailing in the printing business due to the war, we are compelled to announce an increase in advertising rates. All printing and publishing costs have advanced from 50 per cent to over 100 per cent, beside which living expenses have steadily increased, as everyone knows.

Therefore, beginning with June 1, 1918, the rate for display advertising will be 20 cents per inch for the first insertion, and 15 cents an inch for each additional insertion, and 25 cents an inch for transient display advertising. This is a flat rate and covers all display advertising, with the exception that all existing contracts will be continued at the old rate until contract expires. Special rates will be made on long time contracts.

Locals and readers will be 7 cents per printed line each insertion.

All legal advertisements are to be at full legal rates, viz: 75 cents per folio for the first insertion and 35 cents per folio for each subsequent insertion.

Political advertising will be charged for at the same rate as legal advertising.

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BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Urging Minnesota citizens to get behind pledge week for the purchase of War Savings Stamps, that opens June 6th, Secretary McAdoo today, in a letter to State Director Donald S. Culver, gave definite reasons why the Minnesota campaign is so important. Secretary McAdoo pointed out the necessity of this state raising its quota of \$47,000,000 and expressed confidence, that, like the Third Liberty Loan, Minnesota would rate among the very highest states in the amount of stamps to be purchased.

"It is essential that the American people economize and save in order to make available to their government the money indispensably needed for the war and to release supplies and labor required for the production of things necessary for our own military forces and for the military forces of the nations associated with us." He wrote, "One of the best methods of bringing about this result is for everyone to pledge himself to economize and save and to purchase, at definite periods, a specific amount of War Savings Stamps, thus giving concrete evidence of his support of the practice of War Savings."

"To achieve this object, there will be conducted in Minnesota, under the direction of the treasury department, a campaign for pledges, culminating on June 14th, when loyal citizens throughout Minnesota will be asked to commit themselves to this program.

"The progress of the war demands constant and increasing sacrifices. We are sending our young manhood to represent us on foreign battlefields, where they are called upon to sacrifice not only their personal comforts and material interests, but their lives as well. It is appropriate therefore, for Minnesota people who are privileged to remain in safety and comfort at home to consider their sacred obligation to support our gallant men and to pledge themselves earnestly to save and economize in order that our soldiers and sailors may have the food and clothing and the arms and ammunition without which they cannot fight.

"To the end that this intensive campaign may be most effective, I earnestly bespeak the co-operation of all organizations and institutions of your state which, through their influence and active support, can further this work. It is desirable that the attention of the entire people be centered on their obligation to pledge the government this kind of support for the winning of the war, and with this object in view, that June 6th, 1918, be observed as a Minnesota War Savings Day.

"With adequate preparation for a

Minnesota War Savings Day on June 6th, I am sure the people of the state will be glad to participate and to pledge themselves to become war savers, thereby giving concrete evidence of their devotion to their country's welfare and of their inflexible purpose to fight until a triumphant victory for liberty is secured."

THE LOYAL NINTH

The Liberty Bell, the official publication of the Ninth Federal Reserve District Liberty Loan committee, publishes the following subscriptions to the Third Loan. The Ninth District, of which Minnesota is the center, leads all others in the percent oversubscribed, being 72 per cent more than required.

All districts oversubscribed from 24 per cent to 72 per cent, but the mark set by our Ninth District is still the talk of Washington, D. C. The Kansas City district was second with an oversubscription of 56 per cent.

Subscriptions and percentages by districts:

District	Quota in Millions	Subscriptions	Per cent
Minneapolis	105	\$180,826,350	172
Kansas City	130	202,301,050	156
St. Louis	130	199,085,900	153
Atlanta	90	136,653,350	151
Philadelphia	250	361,963,500	144
Dallas	80	115,395,200	144
Chicago	425	608,878,600	143
Richmond	130	185,966,950	143
Boston	250	354,537,250	142
San Francisco	210	286,577,450	136
Cleveland	300	404,988,200	135
New York	900	1,114,930,700	124

The subscriptions in the Ninth District by States were as follows:

State	Allotment	Subscriptions
Minnesota	\$72,000,000	\$96,325,000
So. Dakota	22,000,000	30,691,450
No. Dakota	6,000,000	11,447,900
Montana	9,000,000	16,371,700
Upper Wis.	8,000,000	10,724,000
Upper Mich.	6,000,000	9,472,750
Railroad subscriptions		
unassigned		5,496,350

STATE'S REVENUES INCREASED

Interest received upon state funds in the hands of Henry Rines, state treasurer, for the year ending May 1, 1918, amounts to \$170,721.95, an increase of \$60,259.78 over the previous year. Some of this increase is due to an increase in funds, but the greater portion is due to larger deposits having been kept in the inactive banks which pay three per cent interest as against two per cent in the active or checking account banks.

It is the policy of Mr. Rines to keep as much of the state's funds as possible in the inactive accounts, which has resulted in a large increase in the state's interest account. Included in the interest collections for the past year is \$3,567.94 received as interest from daily deposits of departmental funds. Previous to May 1, 1917, these funds were deposited monthly and the state received no interest for collections made during the month. The law directing daily payments of these collections was passed by the 1917 legislature at the suggestion of State Treasurer Henry Rines.

Since assuming office he has instituted a number of reforms in the treasury department in the interest of economy and greater efficiency. Mr. Rines is serving his first term and is a candidate for re-election.

BRAINERD RED SOX

Starting in the cellar where they landed with a thump first crack out of the box, the Brainerd baseball team has shown it can conquer a bad start and is now off with flying colors and two clean, decisive victories to its credit. Every team should have its pet name and the Dispatch hereby metaphorically waves a sword and pats each man of the team on the back and christens all knights of the bat and ball in Red Cross league and dubs them the Brainerd Red Sox. And may they come home with the pennant at the finish.

UNITED PRESS PRAISED

United Press service on the work of German submarines off the Jersey coast gave full particulars to Brainerd Dispatch readers and the service was complete and all that could be desired and many complimented the Dispatch on the progressiveness displayed in giving to the world this war news at the same time it appeared in the Twin City, Twin Ports and other afternoon papers of the United States. In this way as in many others the Dispatch aims to give its readers the news when it is news.

EDUCATION MADE USE OF.

At the Brainerd high school graduation exercises the commencement orator, Dr. C.W. Burns, praised Brainerd and its class and it is fitting praise for Brainerd. Brainerd teaches its young men and women to do things, to take their places in the world as citizens. A perusal of the alumni records shows achievements accomplished. There is never a single idler graduated from loyal Brainerd high school.

ELEVEN SHIPS ARE DESTROYED

German Submarines Play Havoc With Vessels Off the Atlantic Coast.

ONE BIG LINER SUNK

New York and Porto Rico Steamer Carolina of Eight Thousand Tons Carried 220 Passengers and a Crew of 130—Fate Unknown.

New York, June 4.—German submarines have sunk eleven vessels off the Atlantic coast, it is known for certain here.

The largest to fall prey to the raiders, which are seeking to prevent the sailing of transports with troops for the battlefields of France, was the New York and Porto Rico liner Carolina of 8,000 tons which was attacked Sunday night about 125 miles southeast of Sandy Hook.

The fate of her 220 passengers and crew of 130 who took to the boats when shells began to fall about the vessel was unknown late tonight but there was hope they had been picked up by some passing ship or would reach shore safely in the small boats. Not a life was lost in the sinking of the other ships, according to late reports tonight.

Tanker H. L. Pratt Sunk.

Besides the Carolina the known victims of the U-boats are the Atlantic refining company tanker Herbert L. Pratt, the steamship Winneconne of 1,800 tons, the steamer Texel, and seven schooners. The largest ships were the Hauptaug, a new ship of 1,000 tons, and the Edward H. Cole. The crews of these nine vessels have been landed at Atlantic ports.

Reports brought ashore by the survivors indicated that the Winneconne and nearly all the schooners were sunk by the same U-boat, which had been lurking in the path of shipping off the New Jersey coast and the Delaware capes since late last month.

Scores of United States warships were ranging the waters off the north Atlantic coast tonight in search of the submarines.

The schooner Edward H. Cole of Boston was sunk by bombs and Capt. H. J. Newcomb of Boston, with his crew of 10, have been landed here, after being rescued from the boat in which they were given an opportunity to escape.

Other Schooners Lost.

The schooners Jacob M. Haskell of Boston, Isabel B. Wiley of Bath, Me., Hattie Dunn of Thomaston, Me., and Samuel W. Hathaway have been sunk. All the crews were saved.

The Savannah line steamship City of Columbus is reported to have been sunk, but no definite news of her fate has been received.

The steamer Texel was sunk by a submarine Sunday afternoon 60 miles off the coast. The crew of 36 men landed at Atlantic City tonight.

Survivors Landed.

Forty-eight survivors were brought to port by a coastwise steamship and were landed. About half of them had been prisoners for several days aboard the submarines.

Captain Charles E. Holbrook, commander of the Hattie Dunn, said that his vessel had been sunk May 25, and he and his crew taken prisoners by the submarine.

The survivors were from the steamship Winneconne and the schooners Hattie Dunn and Edna.

SINKS 12 FISHING BOATS

German Submarine Destroys Irish Craft by Shell Fire.

London, June 4.—Twelve of a fleet of 30 or 40 fishing vessels, which left Irish ports on the night of May 30, were sunk by a German submarine, says a Belfast dispatch to the Daily Telegraph. The submarine suddenly appeared in the midst of the fleet and ordered the fishermen to take to the boats and row ashore. It then sank the vessels by shelling them.

The fishermen say the submarine was interrupted in its work and submerged, which probably prevented the destruction of the entire fleet.

REFUGEES REACHING PARIS

200,000 Mostly Women and Children Arrive From Marne.

Paris, June 4.—Nearly 200,000 refugees, mostly women and children, have arrived from the Marne districts and have been sent into Normandy and Brittany.

Four Killed at Karlsruhe.

Amsterdam, June 4.—Four persons were killed, six seriously wounded and many slightly injured when 10 British machines attacked Karlsruhe at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, according to the Wasser Zeitung of Bremen. Two British airmen were shot down, it is asserted. The British war office statement on aerial operations issued Saturday night, reported a raid on the station and workshops at Karlsruhe. The statement said that one of the machines engaged in the raid had failed to return.

ENEMY DRIVE HALTED

French Counterblows Hold Foe at All Points.

Heavy Losses Inflicted on Germans as French Make Progress in Counter Attacks.

London, June 4.—According to the official statement from Paris, the German rush towards the French capital and the Marne and Ourcq rivers is halted.

French troops stood their ground impact, near the Marne, and in dashing counter attacks drove back the enemy in other sections of the battlefield to the northwest.

The main force of the German blow was directed along the road that runs from Chateau Thierry to Paris. The French met it astride that road, to the southeast of Compiègne, within less than two miles of the river, and broke the assault by their fire.

French Take Prisoners.

Heavy fighting continued all night along the whole front northeastward to the Ourcq, a distance of about 18 miles, the French driving home numerous counterattacks with the result that the Germans were forced to give ground at several points. Prisoners by the hundreds were taken by the French, who likewise cut the German up several during the various engagements.

Apparently the Germans made no further progress during the night in other sectors, either on the other side of Chateau Thierry along the Marne and to the northeast, or in the Soissons and Noyon regions to the north, as the French are reported holding their positions everywhere.

British Gain Ground.

With the exception of a gain of some ground by the British on the northern side of the Flanders salient there have been no events of moment recorded on the other parts of the front.

KILLED WHEN PLANE DIVES

Capt. Webb Loses Life and Major Gearhart Injured.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 4.—While Captain E. P. Webb, post adjutant at the aviation repair depot at the Indianapolis motor speedway, was throwing baseballs from a Curtiss airplane at the American association baseball park to be used in a game between soldiers from his command and a semi-professional team, the plane dropped to the ground, landing just back of second base. Captain Webb was killed instantly.

Major Guy Gearhart, commanding the aviation post, who was piloting the airplane, was seriously injured. Physicians were unable to say whether he will recover.

BASEBALL.

American Association.

Kansas City, 6; Milwaukee, 5.
 Indianapolis, 6; Louisville, 3.
 Columbus, 5; Toledo, 3.
 St. Paul at Minneapolis, postponed, wet grounds.

American League.

Boston, 3; Detroit, 0.
 Washington, 3; Cleveland, 2.
 Chicago, 9; New York, 2.
 Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 1.

National League.

Chicago, 5; Boston, 3.
 St. Louis, 15; Brooklyn, 12 (12 inn.)
 Pittsburgh, 3; New York, 2.
 Cincinnati at Philadelphia, postponed; teams traveling.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Minneapolis Grain.
 Minneapolis, June 4.—Oats, July, 66%.

Duluth Flax.
 Duluth, June 4.—Flaxseed, July, \$3.75 1/2; Oct. \$3.52.

Chicago Grain.
 Chicago, June 4.—Corn, June, \$1.31; July, \$1.32 1/2; Aug. \$1.33.

South St. Paul Live Stock.
 South St. Paul, June 4.—Estimated receipts at the Union Stock yards: Cattle, 2,300; calves, 600; hogs, 5,125; sheep, 60; horses, 68; cars, 150.

Cattle—Steers, \$9@14; cows, \$7.75 @12; calves, \$8@13.25; hogs, \$16.10@16.15; sheep and lambs, \$12@15.50.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, June 4.—BUTTER—Creamery extras, per lb., 39c; extra firsts, 38c; firsts, 37c; seconds, 36c; dairy 34c; packing stock, 29c.

EGGS—Fresh, prime firsts, new cases, fresh, 32c; current receipts new cases, \$3.15; old cases, \$3.00; checks and seconds, doz., 26c; dirties, candied, 20c. Quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 25c; thin, small, 10@12; cripples and culls, unsalable; old and young roosters, 12c; ducks, 20c; geese, 15c; hens, 3 1/2 lbs. and over, 24c; under 3 1/2 lbs., 21c.

Finland Makes Secret Treaty.

London, June 4.—A secret convention exists between Germany and Finland, which is kept secret from the Finnish diet, by which the Finnish government undertakes to establish a monarchy under a German dynasty, and to place the Finnish army under German leadership, according to a dispatch to the Times from Stockholm, quoting the Socialist newspaper Politiken, which has sources of information among the Independent Socialists in Germany. Finland agrees also not to cede the Aland islands to Sweden.



TODAY

TODAY

BILLIE BURKE in

IN

'The Land of Promise'

Tomorrow

Thursday

MARY PICKFORD in

"THE LITTLE AMERICAN"

Prices Nights 11c and 17c.

Mat. 6c and 11c.

Prices Quoted Include War Tax.

EMERSON FELT WAR'S PINCH

Letter Written by Him Tells of Bad Conditions in New York in the Year 1862.

It is interesting to go back to the early days of the Civil War in this city, when Emerson wrote to a friend of the financial crisis:

"The 1st of January (1862) has found me in quite as poor a plight as the rest of the Americans. Not a penny from my books since last June, which usually yield five or six hundred a year; no dividends from the banks or from Lidian's Plymouth property. Then almost all income from lectures has quite ceased, so that your letter found me in a study how to pay three or four hundred dollars with fifty. Meanwhile we are trying to be as unconsummable as candles under an extinguisher, and 'tis frightful to think how many rivals we have in distress and in economy. But far better that this grinding should go on bad and worse than we be driven by any impatience into a hasty peace, or any peace restoring the old rottenness."—New York World.

How Fish Are Affected by Cold.

It has been proved that sudden cold sometimes causes the death of thousands of fish in the shallow waters of the tropics and subtropics. Many species are so chilled as to become helpless and are either killed directly by drowning or are washed ashore in a comatose state. The phenomenon is known locally as "freezing," although the temperature of the water may be several degrees above the freezing point. During very severe cold spells great numbers of fish are often killed along the Atlantic coast as far north as New England. Contact with cold air causes the water to cool rapidly, and the great expanse of shallow water around the Florida Keys and the many shallow bays that are little affected by tides afford favorable conditions for rapid cooling.

How Airplane Engine Wears Out.

We little realize that the life of an airplane engine, for instance, is hardly more than a hundred hours, and that the continual substitution of new parts, a few at a time, often entirely remakes it. Indeed, for every plane and engine which we ship to Europe we must ship approximately 70 per cent of spare parts for repairs. The judgment as to when new parts shall be put in is the answer to the life of the plane and must be entrusted only to expert engineers.—Lieut. Col. Hiram Brigham in the National Geographic Magazine.

Procrastination.

Procrastination is the average man's greatest fault. Putting things off, waiting until tomorrow, the idea of delaying, has wrecked more individuals than any other one fault in business. One inactive, indolent, put-it-off man can stall the success of a whole organization; and he will.



Contributed by the Brainerd Dispatch

W. S. S. INTENSIVE CAMPAIGN WAGED

County Chairman H. F. Michael Conferred Today With B. N. Lux of Minneapolis

MET CITIZENS AT CROSBY

Official Date of Opening Drive is June 6, County to be Canvassed Thoroughly

Plans for an intensive campaign in the interests of U. S. War Savings Stamps are being made today by County Chairman Michael, who with B. N. Lux of Minneapolis, representative from headquarters for this division, met with a large gathering of boosters for the popular "Baby Bonds" at Crosby this afternoon. The conference was attended by a number of chairmen from that section of the county and much enthusiasm was indicated. "We're going over the top in great shape up here" was the assurance given the chairman by the Range boosters.

This evening, a meeting will be held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms and every man listed to help put this campaign over is urged to be present. Mr. Lux will go over the plans and details at considerable length and give information and suggestions vital to the success of the drive.

The official opening date is June 6th and all over the county active work in behalf of the sale of U. S. War Savings Stamps will be inaugurated. Mr. Michael is well pleased with the outlook and states that keen interest and enthusiasm is being met with in every part of the county visited. The "Baby Bonds" are decidedly popular and are being taken by people in every walk of life. Prospects for a good showing on the part of the residents of Crow Wing county when the final summary is made are very bright.

—MAKE W. S. S. PLEDGES—

ROLL OF HONOR

Ingolf Dillan, who has been a clerk at the First National bank, has enlisted in the Marines and took his departure this morning. His application was received by H. P. Dunn. Men for industrial training, age 18 to 21, will be accepted up to and including June 10 at the local army recruiting station.

Arnold Momb of Roched and Albert Maghan of Bay Lake, enlisted in the coast artillery and left Brainerd Sunday. Their applications were received by Corporal Wm. Slowe.

Milton Mahlum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mons Mahlum, and manager of the Mahlum Lumber yard at Crosby, has joined the ordnance department of the army and is now at a western training camp.

—BUY W. S. S.—

BROTHERS JOIN ARMY

Two Sets of Brothers, Physicians, Enlist for Overseas Service on the Same Day

Four physicians, brothers, "two and two," who appeared yesterday for examination at the Minneapolis recruiting office, discovered that they had enlisted for overseas service on the same day, each without the knowledge of any of the others. They are: Dr. David E. Nelson, Brainerd; his brother, Dr. Oscar E. Nelson, Minneapolis; Dr. G. C. Moorehouse, Owatonna, and his brother, Dr. Eli M. Moorehouse, Yankton S. D.

All four passed with flying colors and will go to France.

—BUY W. S. S.—

BRAINERD'S OLDEST STORIES OF TODAY

It is generally known Pete Cardie is a good conversationalist. A shopman, talking of Pete, paid him this compliment. He said he liked to listen to Pete for hours, and never wearied of his stories, especially the hunting and fishing ones.

The Black Diamond Trail has two bad spots, that one in the swamp country in Aitkin and a stretch of newly churned road west of the ferry near Motley. Both take the heart out of a man and punish his car.

—BUY W. S. S.—

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT—Insisted by and for Hugo Schwartzkopf, Brainerd, Minn. Amount to be paid, \$7.50.

I have filed for county commissioner of the fourth district and will appreciate your support at the polls. I will endeavor to give efficient, conscientious service.

304115 HUGO SCHWARTZKOPF.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE—5 CENTS

AT ST. CLOUD NORMAL

Commencement Exercises There on June 5. Address by Marion LeRoy Burton, Minnesota U.

Commencement exercises of the State Normal School at St. Cloud will be held on June 5 at 8:15 P. M. The commencement address will be delivered by Marion LeRoy Burton, president of the University of Minnesota.

Brainerd graduates are Miss Gladys Alger of the diploma course in music supervision and Miss Agnes M. Cullen, Miss Marjorie B. Parker and Miss Gladys Alger of Brainerd, and Miss Carolyn K. Barron of Riverton of the advanced English course.

The Junior-Senior picnic was held June 1, the baccalaureate address was given June 2, an entertainment by the pupils of the training school on June 3. The alumni reunion and luncheon will be held June 6 at Shoemaker hall.

—BUY W. S. S.—

CITY OF BRAINERD RECEIVES THANKS

—BUY W. S. S.—

THIRD LIBERTY LOAN

Liberty Loan Executive Committee Ninth Federal Reserve District

It is an honor, as well as a pleasure, to ask you as chairman, to convey to the citizens of your community my congratulations on the splendid results achieved in the Third Liberty Loan campaign.

This generous response to the country's call is an emphatic expression of the loyalty of your citizens. You can point to this flag, awarded by the United States Treasury Department, which we are sending you today, with just pride as an emblem of service and a realization that each good American in your community has done his or her part in this struggle for democracy.

Very truly yours,

ARTHUR R. ROGERS,

Chairman.

MAYOR R. A. BEISE,

Chairman,

City of Brainerd,

Brainerd, Minn.

LIGHTING PROJECT WAITS FOR LABOR

(Akeley Herald)

T. H. Crosswell and M. D. Stoner, of the Cuyuna Power company, were in Walker Tuesday, looking after some of the business matters in connection with the installation of their lighting system in this village.

They have had their franchise since last fall and now state that the material for putting in the pole and wire line and connecting up the Walker lights with the Akeley lighting system, is all on the ground and that they will proceed to take over the lights as soon as possible.

Just now, they are handicapped for labor but hope to be able to complete their line crews and get right down to work soon.

—BUY W. S. S.—



JOHN G. WOOLLEY
Noted Orator, Author and Reformer,
at Park Opera House Thursday Evening

One of the greatest platform orators of the day, John G. Woolley, will speak at 8 o'clock Thursday evening at the Park opera house.

For years Mr. Woolley was addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors and for a long time had to fight the demon drink. He knows what he is talking about when he discusses the temperance question.

This is one of the important addresses that will be delivered between now and autumn in the endeavor to put Minnesota in the dry list. The temperance people and friends of the state are expected to be out in large numbers to hear this most interesting speaker.

BUICK CAR STOLEN TODAY

The Buick five passenger touring car of City Assessor Hugo A. Schwartzkopf was stolen this morning from near the J. W. Koop grocery, South Seventh and Laurel streets, as it stood at the curb.

It has Savage tires, the spare tire being Goodrich, said the Imgrund garage people. Its body color is black. It has a spotlight and one front fender slightly dented. Mr. Schwartzkopf owned the car a year and always kept it in fine shape.

—BUY W. S. S.—

CENTRAL MINNESOTA RED CROSS LEAGUE PERCENTAGE TABLE

Little Falls.....	6 5 1 .883
Ironton.....	5 4 1 .800
Crosby.....	5 3 2 .600
BRAINERD.....	5 2 3 .400
Long Prairie.....	5 2 3 .400
Verndale.....	6 2 4 .333
Staples.....	6 2 3 .333
Royalton.....	6 1 5 .166

—BUY W. S. S.—

NOTES OF THE DIAMOND

Brainerd is climbing up. Take a look at the percentage table.

Cook drove his car to Staples Sunday with players after scouting down to Randall and picking up a player there. The eet had left for Staples when he returned to Brainerd and he made Pillager in a hurry, crossed the tracks and drove ten miles on the Pillager-Walker state highway before he realized that road had too much class to form a road to Staples. He then set out across country, made Bridgeman and then meandered on through lowlands and over hills and eventually reached Motley and then made Staples.

Right in the town of Staples on a stretch of corduroy is a hole that broke more than one spring Sunday. The village should patch up such a trap.

Two war horses were struck out at the Brainerd-Staples game, Cook fanned once and so did the mighty Sandy Johnson. Sandy's girl admirers yelled until they got blue in the face. With three Staples men cluttering up the bases in the first inning he swiped at the ball and missed Hannan's shoot.

Games next Sunday, Ironton at Little Falls, Long Prairie at Staples, Royalton at Verndale, Brainerd at Crosby.

—MAKE W. S. S. PLEDGES—

PRESS TRIBUTES

When N. H. Ingersoll of Brainerd, passed on, Minnesota lost one of its best citizens and the newspaper world was deprived of one of its most influential members. "Bob", as he was familiarly called, was always loyal to his friends and to his country. His home city, and the state, as well, lose in him a man of great value—one whose place will be hard to fill. We extend to his family our sincere sympathy.—Walker Pilot.

Northern Minnesota mourns the loss of one of its most progressive and successful newspaper men, Newton H. Ingersoll of Brainerd, editor of the Dispatch. He was a good man, a true friend; a power in building up his community and was loved and honored by a large circle of friends, all of whom will feel a personal loss in his death. The Herald-Tribune extends its sympathy to the bereaved family.—Akeley Herald.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Peoples Congregational Aid

The Ladies' Aid society of the Peoples Congregational church will be entertained by the ladies of the church, in the social rooms of the church on Wednesday afternoon. All ladies invited. Bring a friend with you. Lunch served promptly at 4 o'clock.

—MAKE W. S. S. PLEDGES—

28 CARS ON WALKER TOUR

Twenty-eight cars have been lined up for the auto run to Walker Friday, June 7, and prospects seem good for at least 50 cars being in line when the start is made at 6 A. M. or as near that time as is possible.

The list of cars entered will be published tomorrow and the form for the pamphlet containing names will be closed then.

—BUY W. S. S.—

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY.

"HAS BEENS" VS. ST. MATHIAS

Team Managed by Walter F. Kunitz to Play Rural Nine Next Sunday Afternoon

The "Has Beens" of Brainerd managed by Walter F. Kunitz, will play the St. Mathias farmer team at St. Mathias Sunday afternoon. The pennant last year was won by the rural nine and the community has felt very cheery ever since.

In the decisive game "Biscuits" stubbed his toe on a corn stalk while rounding third for home and was put out. The offending stubble has been removed and there will be no more stops made enroute by Kunitz.

The road to St. Mathias is good and the team and a bunch of substitutes will be on hand early to try to win that game.

—MAKE W. S. S. PLEDGES—

CLIPPINGS FROM PRESS NEIGHBORS

Mark J. Woolley is the first candidate for congress to come out in the open and endorse Governor Burnquist's candidacy for re-election as governor. Mr. Woolley is open and above board in his fight for the loyal candidates of the state and we are awaiting Knutson's position in the matter with no little interest.—Hubbard County Journal.

Fair Warning

If the Sinn Felners have renewed their allegiance to Germany, they will get scant sympathy in the United States, no matter what happens to them.—Duluth News-Tribune.

Popular Clothing

Cuffs, belts, buckles and all unnecessary frills on men's clothing abolished. Young men, they are not abolishing chevrons on government uniforms.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Patriot Dollars

All the dollars in the world cannot buy victory. Victory is not purchasable—it is won. Dollars can work for victory only in so far as they are converted into labor and materials. A dollar hoarded is a slacker; a dollar wasted is a traitor; a dollar saved is a patriot, doubly so when loaned to the government.—Rock County Leader.

A Job Ahead

To aid in subduing Germany is the task to which we have put our hands, and we cannot withdraw them until the task is finished. It is well, therefore, that the people should come to recognize the immensity of the work before us, and that they should realize the possibility of years of conflict and the demands such a duration of the war is likely to put upon us.—Rock County Herald.

"Step Aside"

This country must win the war. If you don't want to help, you will have to get out of the way. The war machine of this country is speeded up to top speed, and if you are not behind it, you stand a good chance of being run over. The polite etiquette of the road has been suspended. "Please step aside" won't do. The country is at war. It's in a hurry and it's "Get out of the way" or get run over.—Wabasha Herald.

A Worn Alibi

J. W. Brinton, one of the moving spirits of the non-partisan league, and general manager of the league's store system, has been arrested in Fargo, charged with disloyal utterances in one of his recent speeches. It seems peculiar that despite the oft-repeated assertions of loyalty, the league leaders still persist in "speaking out in meeting" and giving vent to the ideas that made them marked men after the United States entered the war. Continual apologies seem to be necessary.—Bemidji Sentinel.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Philathea Bible Class

This evening, Tuesday, June 4th, instead of Monday, June 3rd, in the social rooms of the Methodist church, the winning side of the Philathea Bible class will be entertained by the losing side in the recent blue and white contest. There will also be initiation of new members and the semi-annual election of officers. All members of this class, both associate and active, are invited to be present.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Agony and Eve "Tarheels"

Eve's 27 knows that many things and much trouble have originated in North Carolina, but few thought Adam and Eve natives of that state. Yet it is stated on good authority that Adam and Eve not only lived but died there. Fielding Fry avers that on a recent trip to Wadesboro he read on a tombstone in a cemetery in that town inscriptions to that effect. He insists that he made no mistake; that the tombstone is in a fine state of preservation, and that recorded thereon is the interesting fact that beneath it lie the mortal remains of the distinguished pair.—Southern Woman's Magazine.

Extra Fine Silk Gingham

\$1.39

Our Regular \$2.35 Quality

Silk gingham are very popular in the cities. They make most beautiful dresses. We have a number of patterns in excellent colorings, 36 inches wide, which will now be closed out at \$1.39 the yard.

H. F. Michael Co.

RED CROSS GOING OVER \$21,000

The Red Cross national drive in Crow Wing county has yielded \$21,404.96. One district has not reported in full and the total may be a little higher, said County Chairman D. D. Schrader. The county's quota was \$15,000.

Swedish Baptist Church Notes

The regular Thursday evening service will be held Wednesday evening in order that all may have the opportunity to hear the Hon. John G. Woolley Thursday evening.

All who are to take part in Children's Day program next Sunday at 11:30 A. M., will meet in church Friday evening at 7 o'clock promptly for rehearsal. It is very important that all be present.

The choir will rehearse at 8 o'clock Friday evening in church.

Origin of "Cinderella."

Who wrote "Cinderella?" That's a question which cannot be answered, for the good reason that nobody knows. Charles Perrault is credited by some people with having invented Cinderella, but he only learned the story from his little boy, who learned it from his nurse, and that is all one knows. Cinderella is as old as the lullaby, and the lullaby is as old as the cradle. She belongs as much to one as to another. Cinderella is the Cinderella of the French hearth, the Papelluga or Cinderwench of little Serb children, the Ventfochs or Firelighter of the Catalans, the Cenecentola of the Italians the Aschenbrödel of the Germans. It is much the same with the other nursery tales, such as "Little Red Riding Hood" and "Puss in Boots." Nobody ever did write them, they were passed along as old tales from one generation to another, and then they were put down on paper. Charles Perrault called his collection simply "Histoires ou Contes du Temps Passees" adding for frontispiece the legend, "Comes de Ma Mere l'Oye." Tales of My Mother the Goose.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY.

Wall Paper Paints

NEW STOCK NEW DESIGNS
Spring is Here, Have Your Rooms Decorated in Keeping With the Spirit of the Season
WALL TINTS, VARNISHES, STAINS
Ready for Business.

J. H. NOBLE,
310 South Seventh St.

New Garage

General Repairing. Big Wash Rack Installed. Cleans Cars Quickly.

TIBBETTS & DULLUM
613 Norwood St. S. Brainerd

BROCKMAN FUR FACTORY

Furs Stored and Insured Against Fire, Burglars and Moths.

712 Front Street Brainerd, Minn.

The finest store for miles around
Undertaking in Connection
Get the "City Store" Sale Price—We can Beat it Every Time
Your Credit is Good at Clark's—Wherever You Live
A quality hardware Store.
A wonderful furniture store.
A practical gift shop.

D. M. CLARK and Co. Home Makers

YOU! MR. MAN

We want your business. We don't want it as a favor, nor unless we can convince you that you owe it to yourself, purely from a business viewpoint, to trade with us. It is your duty, now of all times, to get full value for your money. We can give you that, and in addition, quality goods and prompt and courteous service. And remember, our unqualified guarantee is "If you did not get your money's worth, bring back the goods and get your money." Could any guarantee be fairer, or safer?

Hardware isn't high priced. A day's wages will buy more of it than it did three years ago. We are proud of our ability to maintain comparatively low prices in the face of existing conditions and we are working harder than ever before to maintain our usual standard of quality.

Extra Special

We have a small line of baseball goods, consisting principally of masks and catcher's mitts, which we are closing out at the very prices we paid for them three years ago.

You Can Save One Half and More

WANTS

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Chambermaid at Ransford. 2523-217

MAN WANTED at Kaupp's Meat Market. 2514-112

WANTED—Silver girl at Garvey's restaurant. 2502-3051f

WANTED—Six helpers at Parker & Topping foundry, 9 hour day. Apply to foreman. 2427-2881f

GIRL WANTED—For house work. Good wages. One who likes children. 710 Eighth Street N. E. 2491-30316

YOUNG MAN WANTED—Custodian for evening, 8 to 11 p. m. at the Chamber of Commerce. Must be reliable, references required. 2509-3061f

WANTED—Chambermaid, also dishwasher for hotel on the Cuyuna range. Wages \$30.00 month, board and room. Apply by letter to Hotel Spina, Ironton, Minn. 2496-30416

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SLOW PROGRESS IS BEING MADE

Allies Have Almost Succeeded in Checking the German Offensive.

ENEMY FEELS LOSSES

Stiffening of Entente Lines Has Resulted in Crown Prince's Army Paying an Exorbitant Price in Lives for Small Gains Made.

London, June 4.—While the new offensive of the Germans has not been completely checked, there is, nevertheless, a decided slackening of the speed with which they started out and their gains since last Saturday have been slight when compared with those of previous days.

And according to the accounts of unofficial observers, wherever they have been able since the stiffening of the Allied lines to attain new positions, an exorbitant price in lives has been exacted from them. So great have been the casualties suffered that the Prussian guards division—the pride of the German crown prince—is declared to have been withdrawn from the battle.

Particularly hard fighting again has been in progress between Soissons and Chateau Thierry where the Germans are endeavoring to push further toward Paris, but not alone have the French troops almost everywhere successfully withstood the onslaught, but on several sectors themselves have taken the initiative and gained ground. As a whole the situation on this line is relatively unchanged.

German Line Being Hard Held.

The German war office at last has admitted that the Allied line on the west has been reinforced by fresh French units, but it asserts that they have not been able to hold the positions to which they were assigned. Nevertheless, the fact is patent from an observation of the war maps that almost everywhere, in this region the German line, for the moment at least, is being hard held.

From Chateau Thierry eastward along the Marne and thence to Rheims the situation is virtually unchanged from that of Sunday. The enemy holds the northern bank of the Marne for a distance of about 15 miles, but as yet he has made no serious endeavor to cross the stream.

The news of what it has cost the German armies in men killed, wounded or made prisoners in the present battle is reaching Germany through a no less authoritative source than the semi-official Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung. This journal prints a letter from a colonel at the front who urges the people to bear their losses with patience and confidence.

Little Fighting in Flanders.

Little fighting aside from the usual small affairs between raiding parties is taking place on the Flanders front. The British have carried out successful raids on several sectors here and have taken nearly 300 prisoners. In the Italian theater the operations continue of a minor character.

DESTROYERS CATCH U-BOAT

Comb Sea for Two Days Near Where Tanker Was Sunk.

An Atlantic Port, June 4.—Hovering for two days over the sea where the American tanker William Rockefeller had been sunk by a German submarine in European waters, a flotilla of destroyers and two seaplanes finally succeeded in capturing the U-boat, according to naval officers, survivors of the disaster, who landed here.

The sea for miles about the spot where the final blow struck the tanker was closely watched by destroyers and their accompanying seaplanes for any sign of the U-boat speeding from the scene of its encounter.

At last the submarine, which had stayed below the surface so long that its air tanks had become exhausted rose to the surface and was netted.

RUNS INTO BROKEN SWITCH

Two Men Killed When Train Is Liberately Wrecked.

Hope, Ark., June 4.—Engineer Charles S. Berrington, Little Rock Ark., and Fireman A. Willer, Texarkana, were instantly killed; Baggage master D. Ralphy, Texarkana, Ark., was fatally injured, and 16 passengers injured when the Sunshine Special, northbound, struck an open switch four miles north of Hope.

The lock on the switch had been broken with a heavy iron bar, the switch opened and the train deliberately wrecked, an investigation revealed.

Seek Advance in Three Valleys.

With the French Armies on the Marne, June 4.—The Germans progress having been checked to the eastward and southward, they are now concentrating their efforts southwestward on the front between Noyon and Chateau-Thierry, seeking to advance along the three great valleys of the Oise, Ourcq and Marne. But along every one of these routes, now that the intentions of the German high command are revealed, the resistance is increasing hourly. As a result the enemy's progress is decreasing.

Dutch Navy Is All Ready for War



This sailor on a ship of the Dutch navy is just one evidence of the preparation of the Dutch for war. When the German menace became strong several weeks ago, they got themselves in shape to open hostilities which, however, were averted.

TOO MANY SOUGHT TO EVADE SERVICE

APPEALS FROM THE LOCAL AND DISTRICT DRAFT BOARDS NUMBERED 25,000.

WEEDING OUT THE SLACKERS

Good Work in Washington by the Provost Marshal General's Office—Hope for Improvement in Delivery of Mail to Soldiers Abroad.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, June 4.—Twenty-five thousand appeals were made by men who sought exemption from the draft and had been refused by the local and district boards. Out of approximately 2,000,000 men in class I this may not seem so large a number. At the same time the desire of 25,000 young men to escape military service was rather discouraging to the war officials, particularly since upon examination many of the claims for exemption appeared to be frivolous or equivocal.

Army officers administering the law and dealing with applications for exemption, especially when they were backed by senators and representatives in congress, found considerable difficulty in adjusting the various situations in view of the fact that here in Washington many thousands of clerks claimed exemption as employees of the government, while a large number of other young men within the draft age were seeking and securing commissions in the various noncombatant staff corps and were very numerous in their uniforms on the streets of Washington and in the departments.

There has been a decided change on this score within the last few weeks. The provost marshal general's office has been reaching into the departments and lifting out the clerks who were within the draft age and liable to service. Every department has been called upon to furnish the number and names of all men within the draft age. Another reform has been started by the secretary of war, which is the weeding out of staff officers in Washington who have been filling clerical positions. Of course this cannot be accomplished in its entirety, but it has been remarked during the past few weeks that many officers in uniform, with suitcases in their hands, have been seen wending their way to the Union station on the route to "somewhere" with the possibility of doing real military duty.

Many people in the United States hope that a recent announcement from the post office department will result in better mail service between the United States and the soldiers in France. During the several weeks in which complaints have been aired officially as well as unofficially about the inadequate mail service, there has been a contention on the part of the post office department that the delays were due largely to the manner in which the war department was handling the mail. Even in his latest statement the postmaster general said the military authorities in France would not disclose to the postal officials the location or movement of troops in Europe, and consequently there has been a great deal of delay. By the new arrangement, however, it is expected the war department will take charge of the distribution of mail sent abroad and in that way letters and other matter to the soldiers will be very much expedited.

Congressman Dick T. Morgan of Oklahoma is one of the Republicans

GREAT SHORTAGE OF FUEL FEARED

MANY INDUSTRIES ARE NOTIFIED THEY MAY NOT BE ABLE TO GET COAL NEXT WINTER.

PRODUCTION NOT ADEQUATE

Users Are Urged to Lay in Their Supplies at Once—American Surgeon's Tribute to Fighting Qualities of the British.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—The fuel administration fears a great shortage of coal next winter. It is said that the shortage at the present time, while not so acute as last winter, is yet so great that it is causing much inconvenience to the users of coal in large quantities. The fuel administration has notified a great many industries throughout the country that coal for their operation is likely to be cut off next winter. Not only have users of coal been advised to stock up and secure their supply wherever possible, but other precautions have been taken in order to insure for this country an adequate supply of fuel for heating purposes and for maintaining manufacturing plants.

Notwithstanding all the warnings, and the inconvenience and sufferings of last winter, it appears there has been a failure to produce an adequate supply of coal for the United States for the coming winter. And this despite the fact that billions of tons of coal lie in the earth and could be utilized if produced and shipped to points where it is needed. The warning of the fuel administration ought to impress everybody to secure at once an adequate fuel supply for the coming winter.

An American surgeon who was among the thousand sent to the British army, and who spent one year at the front in Flanders, returned to Washington recently something of a wreck on account of shell shock and other war experiences he had passed through. He was a man of quiet temperament, and it would not be exactly right to say that he was enthusiastic about the British Tommies, but his quiet praise of the English troops was very effective and impressive. "They do not say much, those English troops who are fighting the Germans," he said, "but they do their work and they do it in a splendid manner. I don't want to appear critical of my own country and my own people, but I must say that we have done too much talking and not enough fighting. I hope to see the time when that will be changed."

It may be said in this connection that the officer believed the American point of view would be changed as soon as we sustained heavy casualties, which would follow our actual participation in the fighting. He had an idea that our people would become more silent but none the less effective.

The house has specialists on various subjects and always turns to them for information when the need arises. Congressman Tilson of Connecticut, for instance, is the wise man of the house on topics relating to the war in general, and to munitions of war in particular. Congressman Miller of Minnesota is considered an authority on conditions in our island possessions and in tropical countries. Knotty points of parliamentary practice are usually argued and explained by Congressman Garrett of Tennessee and Saunders of Virginia. On matters relating to the Orient members seek first-hand information from Congressman Little of Kansas, who was formerly consul general of the United States to Egypt. And so on down the line.

The two houses of congress do not hesitate at times enormously to reduce various appropriations for departmental work, or even to cut them out entirely. One thing that is never done, however, is for one house to refuse to pass a measure which appropriates money for the expenses of the

Confidence Has No Envy.

Ambition doesn't fear to admire what it would like to have. Show bigness in any guise to a brave, bold man and he'll prepare to parallel it. It's the cowardly, double-swept winking with secretly accepted bounds who always hates the strength and merit beyond reach.

The fox didn't believe the grapes sour until he had quit trying for them. Scurrilous tongues are bitter with self-surrender. Stern, determined men refuse to discount the future; no attainment is beyond their hopes. They never "knock." It might be construed as evidence of inability to prove equality. Confidence has no envy.

Melting Aluminum Chips.

Fine aluminum chips, such as are produced in the machining of the aluminum alloys used in motorcar construction are hard to remelt without excessive loss, a loss of 40 per cent being common. According to the bureau of mines, the total loss from this cause throughout the country amounts with aluminum at its present price, to \$800,000. The bureau has recently published some valuable suggestions for minimizing this loss. The main cause of trouble seems to be the lack of ready coalescence of the metallic globules, and this means that the problem is one of colloid chemistry applied to metals.—Scientific American.

Searchlight from Batteries.

From the pocket flashlight operated by two or three dry cells of minute size the battery searchlight has been steadily improved until today remarkable results are obtained. A battery searchlight has been introduced with a range of 2,000 feet up to half a mile, operated on six volts. Equipped with a 7½-inch adjustable focus, single-shell reflector, on a recent photometer test one of these searchlights gave 453,000 candlepower. The combination of a nitrogen-filled tungsten lamp and a correctly designed reflector has worked wonders for the battery operated searchlight.

other house. Occasionally there is criticism of such appropriations, but when it comes to a vote the propositions are always agreed to, usually without any recorded opposition at all. The reason for this may be that each house feels it can trust the other not to spend more than is necessary, or perhaps each figures that the only way to get its own appropriations is to act in such cases according to the Golden Rule.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts was one of that small minority which struggled valiantly but hopelessly against the Overman bill. The Massachusetts senator commented on the fact that whenever a man objected to such legislation he was met with the cry, "Can you not trust the president?" "It is not a question of trusting," he went on. "It is a question of legislation properly. Why, the entire Constitution is based on distrust of human nature. There are limitations placed on everybody—president, courts, senate, house. The whole theory of democratic government is that persons entrusted with power should be carefully limited, because human nature is too weak to be trusted with unlimited power."

Where He Fell Down.

Recently an American was showing an English friend about the capital. "Our government is very economical," said the American. "When we've an extra thick fog they suck it into a big elster and convert it into paint for warships and buildings."

"Really?" said the Britisher. "Talking about fogs reminds me that my brother invented a machine for compressing fogs into bricks, and one thick November day he turned out enough material to build a country house."

"Yes, he did. He moved into this new house the next April and was a happy man for two weeks, until one morning he found himself, also his family, lying out on the cold, damp ground, in company with some bits of furniture and some miscellaneous joinery. The house had gone, but it was the thickest morning ever seen in those parts. Of course, you can guess what had happened. In the night those fog bricks had somehow got back into their original element."

"Well," drawled the Yankee, "reckon yer relt'ive ought to have glazed those bricks."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Guarding Our Lines

Guarding our lines is like guarding our health—we must encourage the care of our bodies—train our organs for bodily endurance, efficiency and full achievement. It is not so much a necessity to fight disease as to cultivate health.

If we want to increase our chances for long life—Dr. Pierce, of the Sargical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., says, "Keep the kidneys in good order. Try to eliminate through the skin and intestines the poisons that otherwise clog the kidneys. Avoid eating meat as much as possible; avoid too much salt, alcohol, tea. Try a milk and vegetable diet. Drink plenty of water, obtain Anuric (double strength) for 60c at druggists, and exercise so you perspire—the skin helps to eliminate toxic poisons and uric acid."

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